

Table 7.
Recipients, by type of income, eligibility category, and age, December 2007

Type of income	Total	Category			Age		
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18-64	65 or older
All recipients ^a	7,359,525	1,204,512	71,727	6,083,286	1,121,017	4,221,920	2,016,588
No other income	4,096,403	425,321	37,959	3,633,123	834,311	2,515,291	746,801
Earned income	276,640	18,008	4,176	254,456	3,021	245,689	27,930
Unearned income							
Social Security benefits	2,568,637	689,877	26,681	1,852,079	80,539	1,339,554	1,148,544
Veterans' benefits	56,884	22,871	415	33,598	1,155	20,003	35,726
Income based on need	22,422	288	51	22,083	15,097	7,008	317
Workers' compensation	4,828	413	14	4,401	14	3,817	997
Support from absent parents	146,499	1	830	145,668	142,411	4,087	1
Pensions	59,814	39,958	360	19,496	42	12,001	47,771
Support and maintenance	316,538	89,017	2,526	224,995	53,010	152,944	110,584
Asset income ^b	176,142	63,442	2,380	110,320	8,415	78,411	89,316
Other ^c	75,416	12,629	685	62,102	3,641	53,638	18,137

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 100 percent data.

a. The sum of the entries may be greater than the total because some recipients may receive more than one type of unearned income or both earned and unearned income.

b. Includes income received as rent, interest, dividends, and royalties.

c. Does not include income deemed from a spouse or parent.

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